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Died, 1863.

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Died, 1870.

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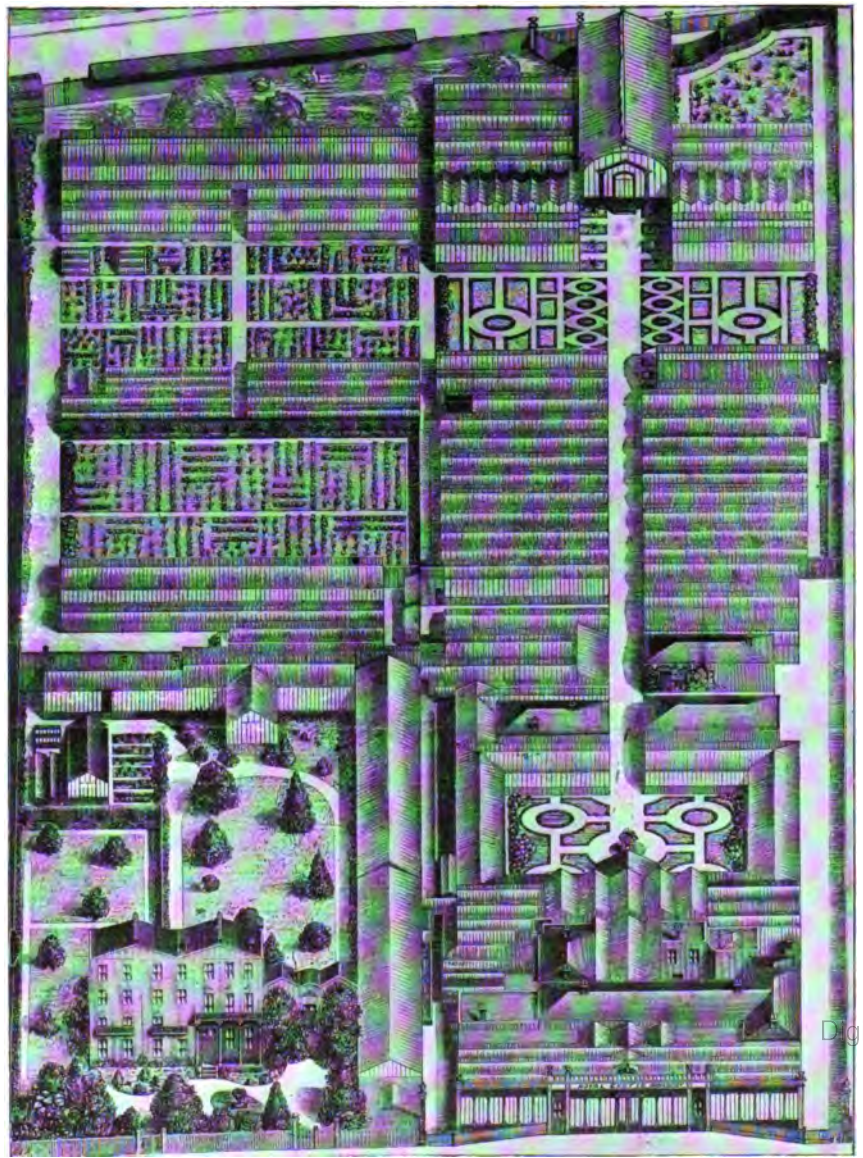

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Main Entrance, Warehouses and Offices.

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The Royal Exotic Nursery, Chelsea.

New Seed Warehouse (1902), Offices of the Landscape, and Town Square and Garden Departments.

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Show Houses on the Centre Walk, regularly supplied from the Country Nurseries.

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[SUMMER].

Main Drive—Avenue and Park Trees planted separately to attain full development.

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Looking South-west towards the Wood.

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The Rhododendron Grounds.

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Deciduous Standards planted separately to attain full development.

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Glass for the Cultivation of Pot Roses, and the Propagation of all kinds of Hardy Trees and Shrubs, and Conifers.

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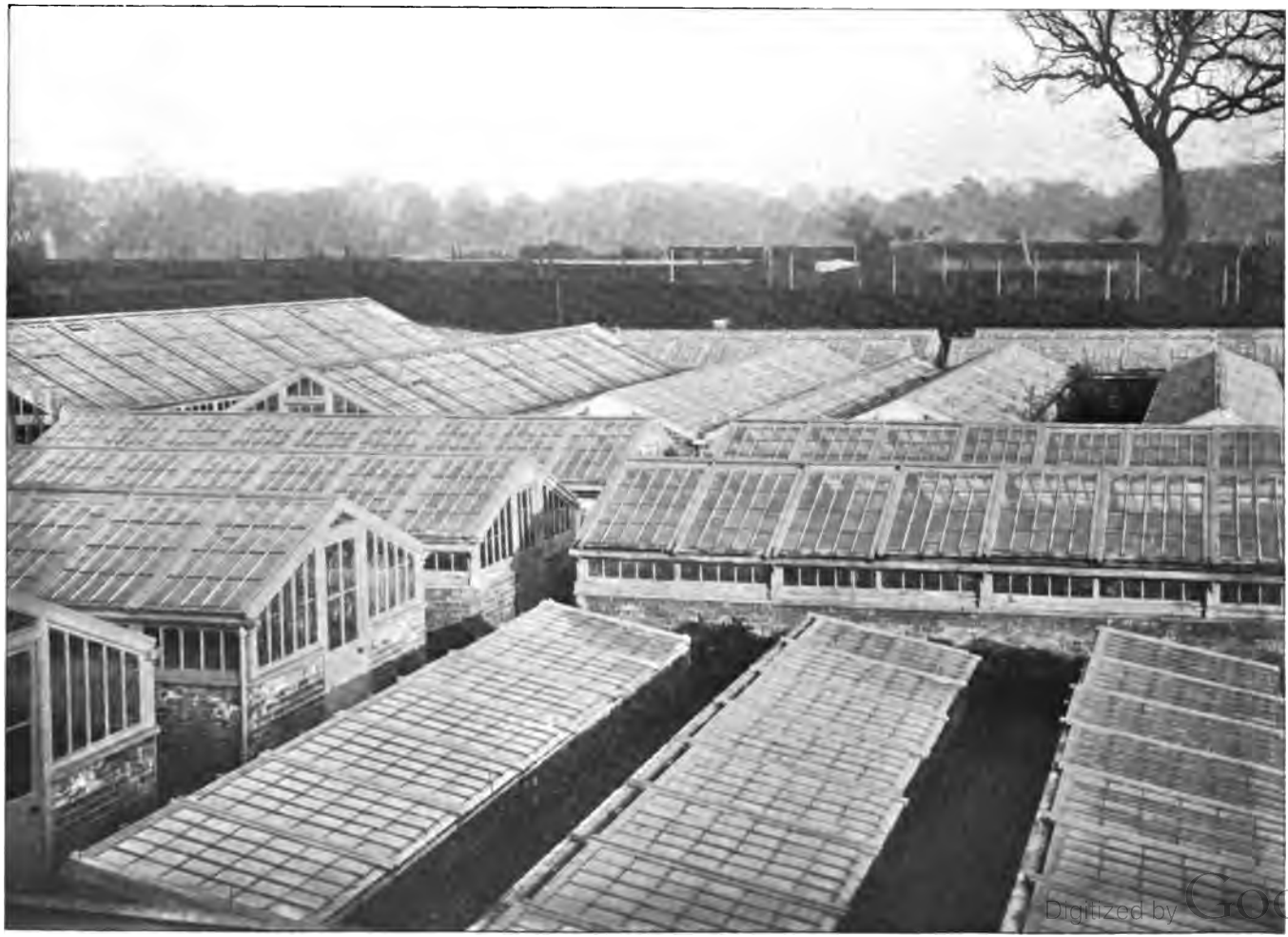

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Coombe Wood Nursery, Kingston Hill, Surrey.

[SUMMER].

Water-Lily Pond and Bamboo Garden.

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[SUMMER].

New Plant Ground. In the foreground, *Astilbe Davidii* from Western Hupeh, China, flowering for the first time in Europe.

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Coombe Wood Nursery, Kingston Hill, Surrey.

[SUMMER].

Standard Rhododendrons.

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Coombe Wood Nursery, Kingston Hill, Surrey.

[SUMMER].

The Maple Quarters.

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Langley Nursery, Slough, Bucks.

[Autumn].

Looking West. Roses and Pæonies in the foreground; Annuals in flower by the Railway Signal Box.

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[Autumn].

The Herbaceous Border.

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Warehouses and Yard for the Drying and Storing of Stock Seeds.

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[Autumn].

The Herbaceous Grounds. Collections of Perennial Asters in flower.

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[Autumn].

Quarter of Standard and Pyramid Pears.

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The Glass of the Hybridising Department, devoted to the raising of new Orchids, Fruits, Roses, Flowering Trees, etc.

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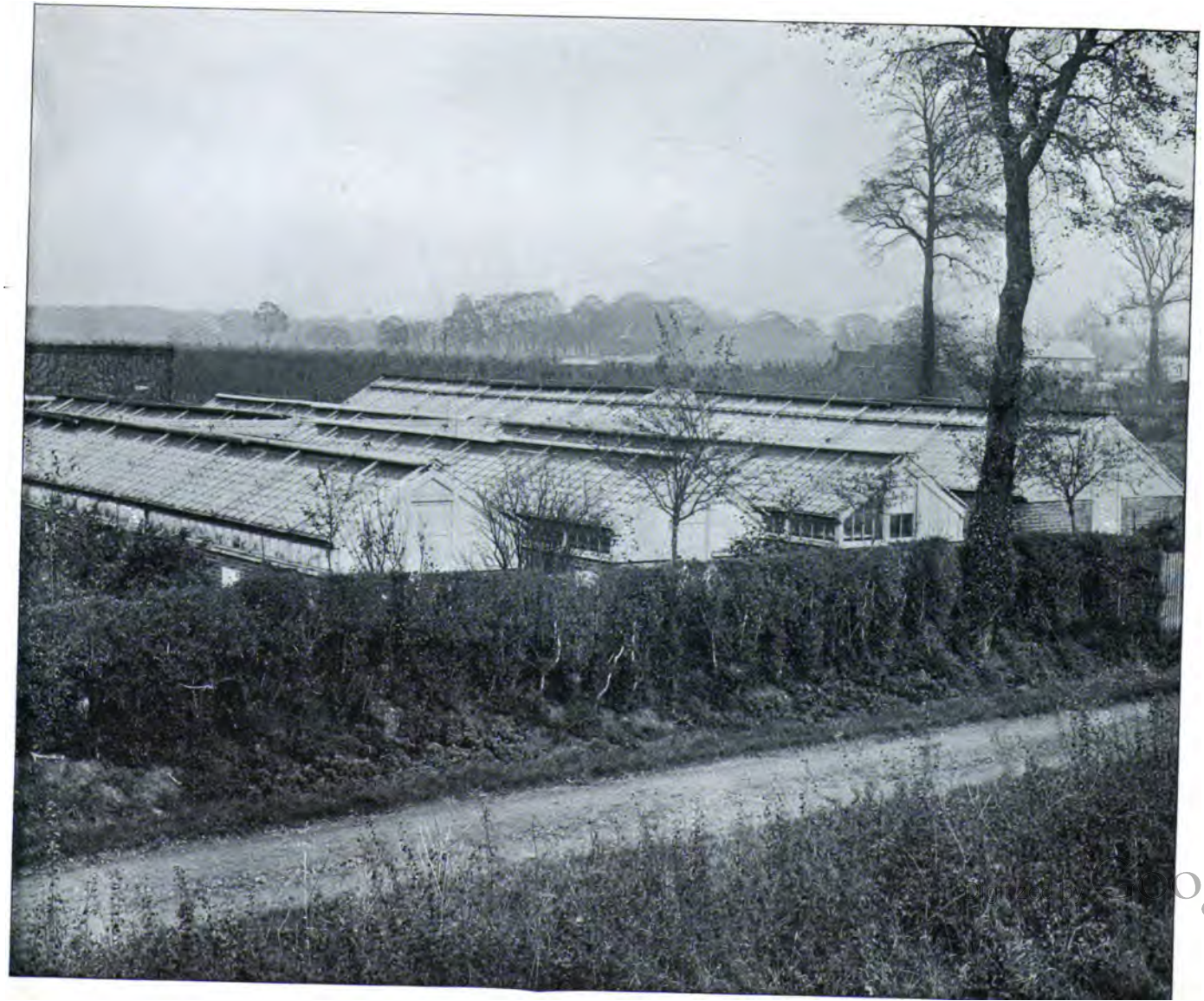

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[Autumn].

Thatched Fruit Room, and Avenue of Specimen Fruit Trees; on the right Quarters of Cordon Pears and Cordon Gooseberries.

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Langley Nursery, Slough, Bucks.

[AUTUMN].

Field of Standard Roses (Teas and Hybrid-Teas in flower).

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[WINTER].

Quarter of Gooseberries; in the background Standard Trained Pears.

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Feltham Nursery, Middlesex.

Glass for the Cultivation of Choice Stove and Greenhouse Plants, Carnations, Chrysanthemums, etc. Warehouse for the Storing of Stock Seeds.

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Feltham Nursery, Middlesex.

[WINTER].

Maples and Planes grown separately for Park and Avenue Planting.

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[WINTER].

Quarters of Common Yew; Standard Limes and Planes in the background.

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[WINTER].

Planting Fruit Tree Stocks.

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Vineries and Orchard Houses for the Cultivation of Vines, Figs in Pots, Oranges, Peaches and Nectarines in Pots.

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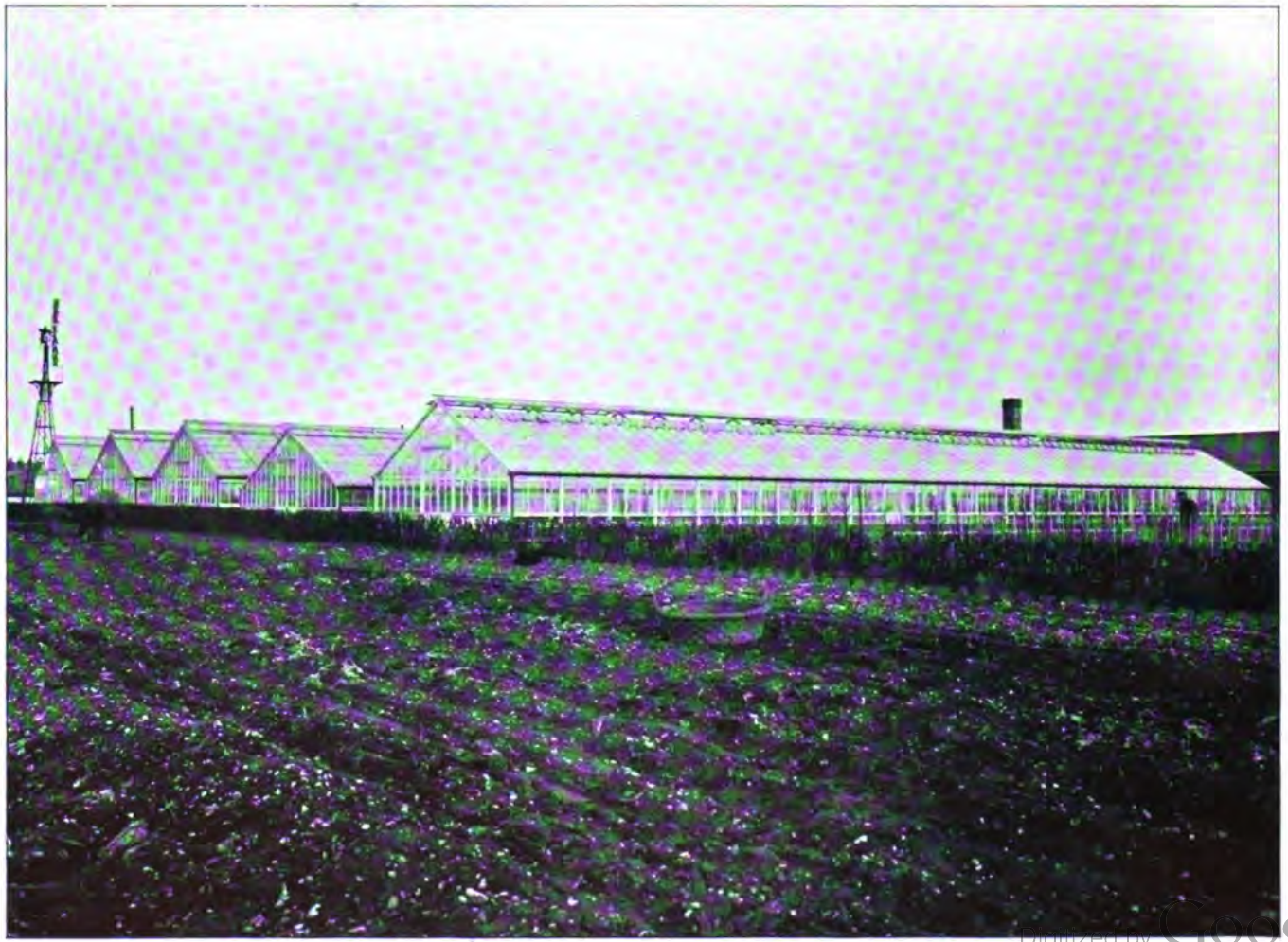

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[WINTER].

Quarter of Pyramid Apples on Paradise. On the right Stools of selected Plum Stocks for the budding of Peaches and Nectarines.

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Feltham Nursery, Middlesex.

[WINTER].

Quarter of Pyramid and Standard Cherries.

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